

THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Monday Morning, March 30, 1888.
TO ADVERTISERS.
Transient Advertisements must be paid for in advance to insure insertion.
TO AGENTS.
Settlements of accounts will be required monthly, or the supply of papers will be discontinued. The daily and weekly issues will be furnished at the lowest cash rates, and no exception will be made to this rule.
There is a general complaint that the revenues of the United States are falling off; and that, low as are the Secretary's estimates for the current fiscal year, the receipts of the Treasury will fall below them. Thus, for the six months ending with December 31st, the inland revenue receipts at the present rate will be less than \$100,000,000, while the Secretary's estimate at the 1st of December was \$106,000,000 for the six months. Two years ago this source yielded \$155,000,000 in a half-year, and now it is extremely doubtful whether the Inland Revenue and Customs combined yield more than that. The New York Tribune, in a gloomy article on the finances, says:—
"The aggregate revenue of the United States is now less than \$5,000,000 per week, or \$250,000,000 per annum. The expenditures are over \$350,000,000 per annum, but are to be reduced, we all hope, at the present session of Congress, to \$300,000,000 per annum. We are thus rushing towards a deficit of \$100,000,000 per annum, which we expect to reduce to \$50,000,000."
The Tribune complains that in this bad state of affairs everybody wants the taxes taken off their own particular interest, when the taxes will have to be increased, not reduced, if the country expects to get safely through. It seems now extremely improbable that the cotton tax or the duties on manufactures will be taken off. The country cannot do without the money they yield. Senator Sprague, of Rhode Island, who is a leading cotton manufacturer of New England, has recently expressed great fears as to the future prosperity of that branch of industry in America. He states that it is humiliating for America to know that with the despised, short-stapled, hunky Indian cotton a fabric is to-day produced by English skill and labor equal to the best fabric that America has yet been able to make. In the whole range of his experience, he says, he does not know of an article that the American manufacturer can now produce and export so as to compete in the markets of the world with foreign manufacturers, even considering the drawbacks allowed by the American tariff. The present unfortunate condition of the manufacturing interests of the country Senator Sprague attributes to over taxation and the great increase of wages of labor since the beginning of the war. The Bostonians, from the tone of their newspapers, evidently feel very much the proof that they have lost their foreign trade afforded by the withdrawal of the Cunard steamers for want of support. The other American cities are correspondingly elated, as they always are when Boston meets with a misfortune. The Boston Traveller anxious to be facetious in the midst of its sadness, says that "Mr E. Cunard seems to look upon Boston with much the same dislike as did some of his countrymen who made a similar hasty departure not quite a century ago." To which the New York Journal of Commerce retorts, "Exactly, Mr Traveller, and for the same reason; the Bostonians gave him more kicks than copper."

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.
WEDNESDAY, March 26.
The debates in the Council upon the different measures already reported by telegraph did not amount to much generally, and from this date up to Friday night, when the House adjourned till Monday, I select such matters as may be interesting to the public.
On the question of Weights and Measures, the President left the chair in order to enable him to speak upon the question that he might ascertain the extent and character of his responsibility as Colonial Secretary. It came out in the course of the discussion that there was to be no difference in the Imperial standard, but simply in the custodian. Her Majesty's Naval and Victualling Store Bill passed, it appearing from the hon. Attorney General's statement that the object of the bill existed from a presumption that there would be hereafter sufficient stores in the Colony to render its provisions necessary. Hon DeCosmos seconded the second reading, when the House went into committee and the bill passed.
In reference to Hon DeCosmos' motion of enquiry respecting the state of agriculture in the Colony, it was stated in reply that the Government did not possess the means of satisfying the enquiry thoroughly. The hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works had not been in possession of any such information heretofore; but attention had been recently given to this important matter and blank forms sent to the different agricultural districts to be filled, which, if received in time, should gladly be submitted to the House, as it was hoped they might, in a measure, contain the information required, the utility of which was readily recognised.
Hon DeCosmos' motion relative to drawbacks on merchandise exported was the best thing of the day.
Hon DeCosmos, in bringing this question before the Council simply desired to get at the intention of the Government, in the first place and to increase foreign exportation of bonded articles, in the second. The hon. member stated that all countries adjacent to us with whom we chiefly traded gave drawbacks, and he felt assured British Columbia would be a large gainer by adopting an equally liberal system.
Hon Collector of Customs, in answer, commenced by stating that the laws of the Colony made no provision for granting drawbacks, nor did he know of any intention on the part of the Government to introduce any such measure. He contended no greater liberality could be extended to parties having goods in bond than had been in the habit of granting, inasmuch as every person had the privilege of breaking bulk and taking out the quantity of goods most convenient to their business, even down to a single box of cigars. In his opinion, if the system of drawbacks was adopted, it would make every town in the country a bonded warehouse. The merits of the question all hinged upon the goods being taken out of bond and returned to the Colony. The plan of certifying every article for exportation when taken on board a vessel and when landed at its destination (say, for instance, a puncheon of rum shipped to Port Townsend) enabled

him not only to trade it at any time but protected the Colony from all possible fraud on its revenue. He acknowledged himself the author of this system; and if any hon. member would show him a better and safer plan he should be only too happy to adopt it.
Hon McDonald (who is a rapid and dilligent speaker to follow) instance the case of biscuits made in Victoria from flour on which duty had been paid, and which could not be sold as cheaply as those imported by foreign bakers, owing to no drawback being allowed. Thus, he pointed out that foreign biscuits in preference. He thought the matter should be strenuously brought before the Government.
The Hon Collector thought in such particular cases a fair claim might be made for a drawback.
Hon DeCosmos' motion relative to the population, distinguishing the races—whites, Chinese and Indians—failed to bring out the information required, as the Government had no means of giving the total population or its proportions.
Hon Robson's motion, seconded by hon Cox, on the Indian Reservations on the Lower Fraser, succeeded somewhat better.
Hon Trutch informed the House, in reply, that in company with the hon Ball, he visited the reservations and found the Indians in all cases ready to comply with the demands of the Government. In reference to certain grievances alleged by the Indians to arise from the encroachments of the whites, he explained to them that these lands were not given for ever to the chiefs, when they expressed themselves satisfied with land enough to grow potatoes. Surveys would therefore be immediately made, and ten acres given to the Indian, instead of 80 acres, if the character of the land called for such an arrangement. This, he hoped, would satisfy all parties, as it was found the party laying out the reserves had in most cases exceeded his instructions, and in many instances acted without authority at all.
Hon Helmcken did not wish to overtax officers of the Government who already had so much to do, but he really thought that something more than merely visiting the reservations should have been done.
Hon Robson regretted very much that no thing more had been done. As representative of the district, grievances from both sides were constantly brought before him, and he had constantly urged them on the Government in various ways. Sufficient time had been allowed, and he introduced the motion hoping it would elicit something important. Differences like this injured both classes of people, kept the lands uncultivated, and brought the Government into disrepute. Motion carried by 9 to 2.
Hon McDonald's motion in reference to the School Funds of Victoria, which, I presume, is the most interesting to yourselves, and his motion of a similar character respecting the mainland schools, both of which I sent by telegraph, were carried. The hon member thought to language too severe to use on this occasion, when he recollected how the promises broken and disregarded by the Government had injured the schools and teachers for the last 18 months. For his own part he was heartily tired, and as heartily ashamed of seeing our public schools and teachers maintain a struggling existence by the aid of the circus and the theatre. In order to deal fairly and intelligently with the Estimates when they appeared, he was anxious to see the difference in the expenditure of the mainland and the island. He did not charge, did not insinuate partiality, but some positive information must be given to quiet the increasing indignation of the people.
Hon Colonial Secretary replied very becomingly and with much feeling, which called forth repeated acknowledgments from the island members. He said that no one more than himself regretted the non payment of the \$3000 due to the Victoria school fund. It was a distinct promise and pledge, and must be paid. Up to this time, however, the Government had not had the means. He could assure the House the pledge would be redeemed the first moment it was in the power of the Government to do so, and he hoped that would be before any great length of time transpired.
A motion to adjourn brought the hon. McDonald again on his feet to inquire how it was that the Government business was not in readiness to be proceeded with. He thought it a shame members should be kept from their homes and business in this trifling manner.
Hon Pemberton followed in even stronger terms of condemnation, instancing his own case, at this particular time of the year, as one of great inconvenience and hardship.
Hon Attorney General replied with considerable warmth, that if the island members had been in their places on the opening of the session it would not have been thus, for the final consideration of several important bills had been laid over to suit their convenience. He thought it unjust and unfair that they should now turn round and blame the Government for consequences themselves alone had created.
On Friday, Hon Helmcken presented three petitions. One asking for an increase of the duties on foreign fruits, another asking to establish an appeal court for the colony, and one asking for the establishment of one Supreme Court. A petition asking for the reduction of the B. N. P. reserve was also received.
Hon DeCosmos gave notice that at next sitting he would move that the Governor be respectfully requested to lay before the Council the correspondence, if any, with the Imperial and Canadian Governments respecting the admission of the Colony into the Dominion of Canada.
Hon Helmcken gave notice that on Thursday he would move that the petitions relating to the Court of Appeal and duties on fruit, &c., be referred to the Governor.
Hon DeCosmos' motion calling for returns relative to Crown Lands was carried.
The motion for an Ordinance to make two-thirds of the Council of Envoys was postponed.
Hon Robson's motion relating to an Overland Road to Canada was carried.
The Supreme Court Bill was postponed.
Changes in the Rents of Trade.
A writer in the New York Times has the following in regard to a prospective change in the course of the traffic of the great North West:
"A change in the course of the trade of the North West regions, which lie within two or three hundred miles of the Western extremity of Lake Superior is soon to take place. Grain and other produce, which, so far, has gone on its way to the markets of the East down the Mississippi River, and South by railroad, will soon find its way to Lake Superior, and thence be shipped to the East by the lake vessels, steam and sail.
The distance from St. Paul, which is our railroad centre, to the lake is about 130 miles only; to St. Louis is about 800 miles by river, and to Chicago by rail is about 500 miles; from the western end of Lake Superior it is about the same distance to New York by water that it is from Chicago to that city by lake and canal and Hudson. The lake freight is the same. This makes it plain that this change in our trade is to take place

The cheapest course is, in this case, sure to take the trade. Bulky commodities, like corn and wheat, feel the effect of so small a sum as one cent on a bushel, and the route which gives even that small economy is the one which will be chosen. In this case the difference will amount to nearly thirty cents the bushel of wheat over any other route, as any one can see by making the calculation.
A few years ago Minnesota and North Western Wisconsin were without inhabitants; last year with a short crop they exported 10,000,000 bushels of wheat. Good judges say that the annual exports of the North West will amount to 30,000,000 bushels of wheat five years hence. All of which, probably, will be sent down the lakes.
The wheat of Minnesota, ripening during a season of great heat, in an atmosphere free from moisture, is superior to any grown elsewhere in our country; its flour will bear carriage by sea to the warmest latitudes, thus it will be in great request for your city flouring mills. These facts about the quality of our grains are not generally known.
Messrs Thompson & Scott of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, and other capitalists in Philadelphia and elsewhere, foreseeing the great value of the franchise of the Mississippi river and Lake Superior Railroad, which leads from St. Paul to the head of Lake Superior, and is to become a great trunk line, have undertaken to construct it, and now are driving the work on it energetically.
The same gentlemen, it is said, have become interested in the site of the city, which will be the lake port for the great commerce of the region in question, and also of the commerce which in time will grow out of the settlement of the vast and fertile British America possessions, watered by the Red and Saskatchewan rivers, and that of East India, which will traverse the continent over the North Pacific Railroad."

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ESTATE OF T. DeNOUVION.
THIRD DIVIDEND WILL BE PAID at the Office of G. Sutro & Co. on and after the 30th inst.
JOHN WILKIE, Assignee, m30 1m
Victoria, 30th March, 1888.
British Columbia Lodge, No. 1187, E.R.
A MEETING OF EMERGENCY of the above named Lodge will be held on Tuesday evening next, the 31st inst., at half past 7 o'clock. Brethren in good standing are cordially invited to attend.
By order of the W. M., A. HEARSTON, Secretary. m30 2t
Great Western Circus
TUESDAY, MARCH 31.
ENTIRE CHANGE OF PERFORMANCE!
Production of the
Sensational Equestrian Drama
DICK TURPIN!
OR, THE HIGHWAYMAN'S RIDE TO YORK.
ma30 1t
MEERCHAUM PIPE LOST.
LOST, ON THURSDAY NIGHT, 26th inst., a large Silver Mounted Meerschauum pipe, with the owner's name (S. E. Hanson) engraved thereon. Any person leaving it at the Oriental Saloon, Yates street, or at this office, will receive \$5 reward. ma28 3t
CAUTION.
ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against borrowing or trusting my wife MARY COOK (formerly Mrs Montgomery), as I will pay no debts of her contracting.
GEORGE COOK. ma28 2t
Victoria, V.I., March 27, 1888.
TO BE RAFFLED, AT THE GROTTTO, ON MONDAY NIGHT, THE 30TH inst., an Inland anonymous fabric. Raffle to take place at 8 o'clock.
5 Minutes Past 12,
HOT LUNCH
—AT THE—
BEE HIVE, FORT-ST.
ma27 1m
An Extraordinary Feat.
MRS. WREN OF VICTORIA HAS made a wager with Mr. W. Maltell for the sum of \$100 that he can produce a man that will JUMP 100 HUNDLES 3 feet 6 inches high, 2 yards apart, in 30 minutes; a feat any hurdle knuckled down will have to be re-jumped and not counted in the number.
The feat will come off at the ALHAMBRA HALL, ON MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 30. Doors open at 7.30; performance to commence at 8 o'clock. ma27 3t
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WANTED.—SEVERAL RESPECTABLE Young Women to act as waitresses at the Victoria Hotel, Government street, Victoria. Wages \$100 a month. Apply to the proprietor, Mr. F. W. Quillie, from 2 to 6 p.m., daily. ma24 1m
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OFFER FOR SALE,
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Ex "Orient," from San Francisco,
AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS,
CLOTHING.
Baltic, Regatta and Serge Shirts
Boys' Suits
Inverness Capes, Boys' and Men's
Black Pants; Doe, Beaver and Tweed
Pants
Waistcoats, assorted, &c., &c.
DRY GOODS.
Plaids, Coburgs, Linseys, Lustres
Checks
Thread, Parasols, Mantles, Damask, &c
Seine and Sturgeon Twine
Barbour's Shoe Thread, Bleached and
Unbleached
Fish Lines and Hooks
Bagging, Chamol's Skins
Lead, Dry Paints, Lamp Black
White and other Twine
Buggy Robes, &c., &c.
GROCERIES.
U.S. Tea, Isthmus Butter, Lard
Coffee, Sugars (Refined and Brown)
Yeast Powders, Candles, Beans
Syrup, Currants, Figs, Raisins
Sultanas, Plagiot Oil
Vinegar, best Malt
Sardines, Field's Oysters, and other
Case Goods, a full assortment
Blue, Paste, Vienna Matches
Tobacco, spices, Chocolate
Oat and Corn Meal, Corn Starch
Brooms, Beef, Pork, Salt
Pie Fruits, Pickles, Sauces
Dried and Preserved Fruits and
Vegetables, Paper, &c., &c.
Devoc's Coal Oil
ALSO,
Hennessy and Martell Brandy, in case
Martell, Otard Dupuy, Jules Robin
and Sazerac Brandy, in q-rcks
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co., case
and bulk
GIN—Red and Green Case and in bulk,
J. D. K. Z.
RUM—B st Jamaica, 33 per cent o.p.
PORT—Hunt's 4 Diamond, bulk and
case
SHERRY—Duff Gordon's
Orange Bitters, Liqueurs
Cherry Cordial, Madeira, &c., &c.
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Municipal Notice.
Excerpt from Municipal By-Law, 1888.
3. There shall be levied on all persons carrying on any trade or business by Wholesale an Annual Rate of \$20.
4. There shall be levied on all persons carrying on any other trade, business or calling an Annual Rate of \$5.
17. The moneys to be collected in respect of the Rates or Taxes levied under Sections 3 and 4 of this By-Law shall be deemed to be due on the first day of March, and shall be payable half-yearly in advance on the first Monday in March and on the first Monday in September in every year, and in the event of any such payment being in arrear for the space of thirty days after it shall be due the person or persons failing to pay shall be liable to a Penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars.
22. Every person keeping a Horse or Horses within the city limits for private use who shall fail to pay to the Clerk of the Municipal Council yearly in advance as aforesaid the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents for each and every Horse kept by him, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of \$25 for each and every Horse so kept by him.
23. The owner of any Dog allowed to run at large failing to pay to the Clerk of the Municipal Council yearly in advance as aforesaid the sum of Two Dollars for each and every Dog so owned by him, or permitting such Dog to run at large without the collar and tag or mark, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten Dollars.
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qts and pts
Wm. McEwan's—Pale, Fd-
inburgh. qts and pts
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and pts
F. Friend & Co., bot-
tled in qts and pts
BRANDY—Hennessy—cask & case
Martell " "
Jules Robin & Co—
in cask and case
Tribot Fil's & Co—
very old, in case
Champagne Cognac
very old, in case
GIN—Swain, Boord & Co.'s Old
Tom " "
RUM—Jamaica, in puncheons
and hogsheds
WHISKEY—Cambridge, in cask
CHAMPAGNE—Veuve Cliquot
White Grand Mousseux, 1st
quality, in qts and pts
Bouzy Cabinet, in qts & pts
Creme de Bouzy, in qts
Giesler, in qts
CLARET—Margaux, La Rose,
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Currants in kegs
Candles—Hale's—in 25 boxes
Stearine— "
Soap—London and Golden
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Chocolate " "
Arrowroot " "
Mustard " "
Spices—Cloves, Cassia, Liquorice,
Pimento, White Pepper
Jams and Jellies, in 1 lb jars
Fruits, bottled, assorted
Pickles—Batty's assorted; and
White Onions
Sauces—Worcester, in hlf pts
"THE" SAUCE, in hlf pts
Vinegar, No. 24, in qr casks
" Amber
Boots and Shoes
Boiler Plates
Belting, double Mill, 12, 6 and 4
inch
Burlaps, 40 inch
Bagging, 42 inch
Canvas
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A LARGE LOT OF GOOD ONIONS AND NO. 1 HAVON HAND.
SEED POTATOES FOR SALE. ma6 1m
LIVERPOOL SALT.
FINE, COARSE AND ROCK.
For Sale by J. A. McCREA, Wharf street. ma13 1m2p
SAFE FOR SALE.
LARGE IRON SAFE, TILTON & McCREA make, double iron doors and newest Patent Lock.
J. A. McCREA, Wharf street. ma2 1w2m
Waitresses Wanted.
WANTED.—SEVERAL RESPECTABLE Young Women to act as waitresses at the Victoria Hotel, Government street, Victoria. Wages \$100 a month. Apply to the proprietor, Mr. F. W. Quillie, from 2 to 6 p.m., daily. ma24 1m
New Advertisements.
Henry Nathan, Jr. & Co.
OFFER FOR SALE,
EX "MARMORA," FROM LONDON,
Ex "Orient," from San Francisco,
AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS,
CLOTHING.
Baltic, Regatta and Serge Shirts
Boys' Suits
Inverness Capes, Boys' and Men's
Black Pants; Doe, Beaver and Tweed
Pants
Waistcoats, assorted, &c., &c.
DRY GOODS.
Plaids, Coburgs, Linseys, Lustres
Checks
Thread, Parasols, Mantles, Damask, &c
Seine and Sturgeon Twine
Barbour's Shoe Thread, Bleached and
Unbleached
Fish Lines and Hooks
Bagging, Chamol's Skins
Lead, Dry Paints, Lamp Black
White and other Twine
Buggy Robes, &c., &c.
GROCERIES.
U.S. Tea, Isthmus Butter, Lard
Coffee, Sugars (Refined and Brown)
Yeast Powders, Candles, Beans
Syrup, Currants, Figs, Raisins
Sultanas, Plagiot Oil
Vinegar, best Malt
Sardines, Field's Oysters, and other
Case Goods, a full assortment
Blue, Paste, Vienna Matches
Tobacco, spices, Chocolate
Oat and Corn Meal, Corn Starch
Brooms, Beef, Pork, Salt
Pie Fruits, Pickles, Sauces
Dried and Preserved Fruits and
Vegetables, Paper, &c., &c.
Devoc's Coal Oil
ALSO,
Hennessy and Martell Brandy, in case
Martell, Otard Dupuy, Jules Robin
and Sazerac Brandy, in q-rcks
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co., case
and bulk
GIN—Red and Green Case and in bulk,
J. D. K. Z.
RUM—B st Jamaica, 33 per cent o.p.
PORT—Hunt's 4 Diamond, bulk and
case
SHERRY—Duff Gordon's
Orange Bitters, Liqueurs
Cherry Cordial, Madeira, &c., &c.
HENRY NATHAN, Jr. & Co.
ma6 Wharf street, Victoria
HOUSES AND LOTS
FOR RENT.
Apply to
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Municipal Notice.
Excerpt from Municipal By-Law, 1888.
3. There shall be levied on all persons carrying on any trade or business by Wholesale an Annual Rate of \$20.
4. There shall be levied on all persons carrying on any other trade, business or calling an Annual Rate of \$5.
17. The moneys to be collected in respect of the Rates or Taxes levied under Sections 3 and 4 of this By-Law shall be deemed to be due on the first day of March, and shall be payable half-yearly in advance on the first Monday in March and on the first Monday in September in every year, and in the event of any such payment being in arrear for the space of thirty days after it shall be due the person or persons failing to pay shall be liable to a Penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars.
22. Every person keeping a Horse or Horses within the city limits for private use who shall fail to pay to the Clerk of the Municipal Council yearly in advance as aforesaid the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents for each and every Horse kept by him, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of \$25 for each and every Horse so kept by him.
23. The owner of any Dog allowed to run at large failing to pay to the Clerk of the Municipal Council yearly in advance as aforesaid the sum of Two Dollars for each and every Dog so owned by him, or permitting such Dog to run at large without the collar and tag or mark, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten Dollars.
By order, W. A. LEIGH, Town Clerk. ma20 1m2p

The forming of the Garde Mobile is assigned as the cause of the disturbance.

PARIS, March 25.—In the Corps Legislatif the right of public meetings passed.

BERLIN, March 25.—Wirttemberg has elected delegates to a Congress of the Zollverein, which opposed the policy of Prussia.

FLORINOS, March 26.—It is officially announced that the Government will send a ship of war to Japan to protect the trade of Italy.

The Abyssinian War.

LONDON, March 23.—Advices from Abyssinia continue favorable. Nearly all the troops have reached the high table lands, though the roads are found very bad. The extreme van has arrived in the vicinity of Lake Ashargos and met no hostile opposition. The country yielded little to support the army except meat and flour, but a great quantity of stores has accumulated at Antolo. A report had been received from the interior that King Theodore has intrenched himself with his whole army on Pattauta Plateau. It is impossible to say whether the report is true.

West Indies.

HAJANA, March 23.—Violent shocks of earthquake were felt at Porto Rico on the 10th and 17th of March, and buildings were sadly damaged and ships carried ashore.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Reports from Jamaica state that the rebels were within fifteen miles of Carracas and that the capital was in a state of siege.

The Secretary of the French Legation was shot through a blunder of the troops.

Mexico.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The Herald's Vera Cruz special of the 19th says, the traitor Lopez has been imprisoned, and General Negrete conveyed to the Capital.

The press as well as the judiciary now denounce as unconstitutional the law against traitors passed January 25th, 1866, under which Maximilian was tried and executed.

A heavy fine had been imposed on the British steamer Danube and her owners for smuggling, but it is still unpaid. The captain, West, will be imprisoned if he returns to Vera Cruz.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—Gold closed today at 138 1/4. Sterling 109 1/2 @ 110.

Legal Tenders 71 1/2 @ 72 1/4.

Flour—Best Oregon brands extra, \$7 50 @ 77 1/2. Jobbing—City millers have generally lowered their prices 25 cents per bbl. Superfine half sacks \$6 75 @ 7 25; qr \$7 @ 7 25; extra half sacks, \$7 50 @ 7 75; qr \$7 75 @ 8.

Wheat dull and a shade easier. Sales 2000 sacks good milling at \$2 50.

Birley \$1 95 @ 2 95, nominal.

Oats \$2 25 @ 3 30.

Sailed March 27.—Bark Huntsville, Port Townsend.

Cleared March 26.—Ship Riveiro for Port Townsend; bark Oward, Usalady.

HUMAN REMAINS FOUND.—Yesterday afternoon the remains of a man were found lying on the beach near Foul Bay. They had evidently lain in the water for a long time. The head, arms and upper part of the body are entirely gone, leaving the spinal column white and bare. From the waist down the remains are in a tolerable state of preservation, and are covered with a pair of fine black cassimere pants and the feet encased in fine calfskin boots. The relics are evidently those of a large man, and the pants and boots are said to correspond with those worn by the missing man William Black, who disappeared from his home about two months ago while laboring under aberration of mind, and who was believed to have drowned himself in James Bay. The circumstance was reported to the Police and an inquest will probably be held to-day.

Nothing more has transpired at New Westminster in regard to the settlement of the Capital question than is already known here. Speculation is active, and Dame Rumor with her thousand tongues is busily engaged in retailing her budget of gossip. Some New Westminsterians cling with a tenacity worthy of a better cause to the delusive hope that the Capital will remain stationary; others, conceding that it is lost to them, are using their best endeavors to have it fixed by a vote of the Council at any point but Victoria, and the claims of Yale are being urged as a compromise location. The Governor still withholds the message on the subject. The excuse tendered is that he has been ill. A telegram from New Westminster expresses the belief that the message will come before the Council to-day.

DURING the negotiations between Mr. Seward and the Russian Minister for the purchase of Alaska, there was considerable correspondence by telegraph between the latter and the Russian Government on that subject. The bills of the Cable company amount to about \$10,000, and the Russian Government is of opinion that the United States should pay it. Mr. Seward declines to do so, on the ground that it is not a legitimate charge.

THE EXPERT.—The telegraph ship Edmont, Capt. Dixon, was towed out to the Straits by the Sir James Douglas yesterday morning. The Edmont is bound for New York city. She has aboard the cable originally designed to connect this continent with Asia via Behring Straits.

The river steamer Lillooet, Capt. Fleming sailed for Yale at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, carrying 30 passengers and 150 tons of freight for the upper country. The rate of passage was fixed at \$5, and freight at \$8 per ton. After rounding Discovery Island one of the boiler gave out and the steamer was headed for Cadboro Bay, where she remained until some time yesterday, when she was reported as having continued on her trip.

A few days ago a farmer at Cowichan discovered in the woods the dead and partly devoured carcass of one of his cows. Sprinkling a little strychnine on the carcass he went his way, and returning next day found six gray wolves and a black one lying dead around. They had returned to feast on the poisoned remains and had fallen victims to their rapacity.

UPPER.—A few days ago Mr. James Carwell, with three other settlers, attempted to cross Cowichan Bay in a canoe. When half way over Carwell fell into the water, and his companions, in attempting to save him, upset the canoe. The party were rescued with difficulty by Indians, but a quantity of goods which was in the canoe was lost.

The farmers in all the districts are laying down heavier crops of wheat, barley and oats than ever before, and should the season prove propitious the yield will be very great. Some apprehension is felt of a dry spring. Last spring, it will be remembered, but little rain fell, and the yield of cereals was small in consequence.

Our manufacturing interests have taken a start in the direction of the interior, and import no more sashes, doors or blinds. Mr. Jones has laid the foundation for an extensive manufactory on Cormorant street, just above K'wong Lee & Co's, of sufficient capacity to supply articles of the kind in any required quantity.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER.—A man was brought before Mr. Pemberton on Saturday, charged with being a suspicious character. He was remanded for three days, in the meantime, should he elect to make himself "scarce," no obstacle will be interposed by the Police.

NEW DOMINION CREEK.—One of the new Cariboo creeks lately discovered to be auriferous is one called New Dominion. A prospect of \$150 has been obtained and many claims are staked off. Private letters state that the locality is believed to be very rich in gold.

WHOLESALE SLAUGHTER.—On Saturday morning Mr. Irvine, a farmer in Victoria District, found 34 head of his sheep lying dead in the fold. The bodies bore evidence of having been torn by panthers. A hunt will be organized. Where are the paper-bunters?

THE WRECKERS.—Several rafts of lumber, forming part of the cargo of the lost bark Rosalia, have been saved by the wreckers. The Faunty has been stripped of all things of value and we learn that a hole will be cut through her timbers with a view to saving the coal in her hold.

AFLOAT.—Parties who went down to the Straits yesterday in the Sir James Douglas report meeting quantities of drift lumber, portions of the cargo of the Hawaiian bark lately wrecked on Discovery Island.

A PRIVATE telegram from New Westminster on Saturday stated that the Capital Message will be sent down to the Council on Monday (to-day.) The Governor's illness has prevented earlier attention to the matter.

THE GREAT feat of jumping over 100 hurdles, each three feet six inches high, in 30 minutes, will be attempted this evening at the Alhambra. A wager of \$100 depends on the result and much interest is manifested.

FOOT BALL.—The game of foot-ball between the Town and Fleet Clubs, on Saturday, resulted in an easy victory for the latter, who scored six to their opponents' two.

NOVEL RESCUE.—A regatta, under the auspices of the officers of H M Fleet, is arranged for Thursday next, in Esquimalt harbor.

THE Enterprise, on Saturday evening, brought down the Hogs Stamp, Macdonald Walkem and Pemberton, and \$103,000 in treasure from Cariboo for the banks.

REV. MR. JENNS, of Nanaimo, preached morning and evening yesterday at the Cathedral Church to large and appreciative audiences.

WORK has been commenced on the new wharves and warehouses of the Hudson Bay Company at Esquimalt.

VICTORIA RIFLE CORPS.—Position drill, Tuesday and Friday at 8 p.m. By Order J. GORDON VINTER, Lieut. and Adjutant.

"E. M."—Your communication is crowded out until to-morrow.

"DICK TURPIN" will be played at the Circus to-morrow evening with a full cast.

DANCING CLASSES.—Mrs. Digby Palmer will open a dancing class for the instruction of juveniles at Mrs. Wilson Brown's school on the first week in April. The class will meet every Monday and Thursday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. Boys admitted up to eight years of age.

IF you wish the very best CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS, you must call on HADLEY & RULOFSON, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

FRED PAYNE has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

CEMENT.

THE ADVANTAGE IN DESIRING to purchase cement, with an individual, or individuals, to supply a large quantity of cement, is that the price is reduced. The Cement is of the best quality, and is delivered at a short distance of the sea. The Cement is of the best quality, and is delivered at a short distance of the sea. The Cement is of the best quality, and is delivered at a short distance of the sea.

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TO-MORROW

Tuesday, March 31,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

J. A. M'CREA

WILL SELL

AT SALESROOM

Wharf Street.

FURNITURE

Of a Family leaving the Colony, usual assortment.

—ALSO—

120 bxs Best Oregon Apples
20 mats No. 2 Rice
Balance lot of Tobacco, Matches, &c

Boots and Shoes.

10 cs El Dorado and Fremont Nailed and Peg'd Boots
3 cs Bay's Boots
3 cs Men's Heavy Nailed Brogans

Paper Hangings.

1 cs fine quality Paper Hangings
About 30 Guns for Indian trade
17 1/2 doz Oregon Knit Socks, 'as is'

On a Liberal Credit,

Staple Goods.

50 bbls State Mills Extra Oregon Flour
Gunnies Oregon Bacon
Cases Oregon Lard
Kegs Oregon Dried Apples
Kegs Dried Peaches
Gunnies Oregon Hams
Pks Ground Coffee
chets V. S. Tea, 36 lbs. each
Bls Corned Beef
cs Ultramarine Blue for Washing
100 bxs English Soap
50 bxs Layer Balsam
25 doz California Corn Brooms

ALSO

Sandwich Island Coffee and Sugar
Best quality Kona Coffee

Case Goods.

— cs Chickens, in tins
— cs Sausage, "
— cs Green Corn, "
— cs Green Peas, "
— cs Olive Oil
— cs Goose

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Worcester and other Table Sauces,
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Liquor Sale

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL,

Wednesday, April 1,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

AT SALESROOM

WHARF STREET,
[2d door from Fort street.]

A LARGE INVOICE OF LIQUORS,

Consisting of

100 cs Martel Brandy
100 cs Hennessy "
50 cs Otard Dupuy & Co. do.
5 cs Byass' Porter, qts, sample of
5 cs " " pils, "
5 cs Brown Stout, qts, "
5 cs Alsop's Ale, qts, "
1 hhd Bass' Ale
2 cs Port Wine, Clode & Baker's, sample of 42
1 q-ck Port Wine, sample of 3
1 " " " Nicholas
1 q-ck Sherry, "
5 cs Sherry Wine
5 cs Port Wine
5 cs Jules Robbin Brandy
4 q-cks Martel "
4 " " Hennessy "
5 cs Champagne Cognac
15 cs Champagne, superior
2 pns Rum
40 cs Burton Ale
20 cs Alsop's Porter
5 cs Dark Martel Brandy

TERMS AT SALE

ALSO

Particulars hereafter.

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10 cs Otard Dupuy Brandy, sample of 50
3 cs Kirchwaser
9 cs Hostetter Bitters
3 cs Eye Opener
15 cs La Rose Claret
7 cs Jackson's Champagne

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SCHOOL OPENING.

MRS. MILLS BEGS TO ANNOUNCE to parents and guardians in Victoria and vicinity that she will open a

DAY SCHOOL.

On MONDAY, March 16,
IN THE BRICK BUILDING,
Corner of Douglas and View streets,
FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF
BOYS AND GIRLS

In the following branches, viz:

Spelling and Reading, Grammar, Composition, English Literature, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Writing, Book-keeping, Drawing, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Chemical Physics, Animal and Vegetable Physiology, Astronomy.

Mrs. Mills holds a Provincial Certificate from the Upper Canada Normal School, and also Certificates of having been a competent and successful school teacher from these boards of school trustees, and two local schools. Her testimonials in Canada, beside testimonials of good moral character from clergymen and others.

The given branch will be taught according to modern and improved methods; particular attention will be paid to Mathematics and Book-keeping.

Terms per Month in Advance.

For children over seven years.....\$3 00
For children under seven years.....2 50

N. B. No additional rates will be demanded as the pupils advance in the different branches enumerated.
Victoria, March 2nd, 1868.

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GARDEN SEEDS.

MOORE & CO.

Have just received by Express,
From the Shaker Garden
MOUNT LEBANON, NEW YORK,

Their Tenth Annual Supply of

Fresh Garden Seeds.

They are Guaranteed to be of last year's growth and the most reliable Seeds in the Colony.

For Sale by

MOORE & CO.,

Druggists, Yates street.
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\$1000 REWARD.

AMERICAN THERE IS REASON TO believe that the premises situated on Queen street, No. 1, 183, occupied by Daniel Cleal, were maliciously set on fire, a Reward of One Thousand Dollars is hereby offered by the undersigned for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons concerned in the outrage.

PROBAT & CO.,
Agents for the Royal Insurance Co. of Victoria, 13th March, 1868.

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Auction Sales.

J. P. Davies & Co

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Saleroom, Fireproof Store Building, Wharf Street near Yates.

Cash advances made on Consignments.

WEDNESDAY

Household Furniture.

J. P. DAVIES & Co.

Will sell, by Auction,

AT SALESROOM

Wharf street,

Wednesday, April 1,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,

The Furniture of a Family leaving the colony

Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Bedding, Couches, Carpets, Book Case and Book, Looking Glasses, Table Covers, Rug, Glassware, Crockery, &c., &c.

Kitchen Furniture

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THURSDAY

FIRST SPRING SALE

OR

CUSTOM-MADE Clothing,

Boots, Shoes and Brogans,

HATS & CAPS,

Furnishing Goods, &c.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions to sell

AT SALESROOM

Wharf Street,

Thursday, April 2d,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

On a Liberal Credit.

Clothing.

Cassimere and other Suits
Blk Cloth, Dress and Witney Coats
Business and Over Coats
Assorted Cloth and Fancy Vests

Pants.

Black Cloth, French and American Cassimere, Beaver's, Pilot Cloth, Drab and Grey Satinets, Witney, Canvas, Jean, Cassinette and Doeskins, &c., &c.

Furnishing Goods.

40 dozen Overalls and Jumpers, Buck Groves
25 dozen Shirts and Drawers, Grey Over Shirts
22 dozen Fancy Baltic and Crimean Shirts
White Yoke Shirts, Boys' Shirts, Hickory Shirts
Germantown, Shaker and Cotton Socks
Red Shirts and Drawers, Canton Fannel Drawers, Cass Over Shirts, Neck Ties
50 doz Ke sey Drawers

DRY GOODS,

Sheeting, Drilling,

Winseys, Shirting,

Table Covering.

Roots, Shoes & Brogans

10 cs Fremont Nailed
5 cs Tap Soe
— Shoes and Brogans
— Dress Boots

Hats and Caps

French Pea, Bk Cass, Dab, Grey, Stiff B Immed. &c., &c.

TERMS—All sums under \$100, cash; over \$100 and under \$250, 30 days; over \$250 and under \$400 60 days; over \$400, 90 days, approved endorsed notes.

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